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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JOSEPH CARLINO

Civil No. **'08 CV 0995 H JMA**

REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT OF
COUNSEL UNDER THE CIVIL RIGHTS
ACT OF 1964, 42 U.S.C. 2000e 5(f)(1);
DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF
REQUEST

v.

WASHINGTON MUTUAL

1. I, the plaintiff in the above-entitled employment discrimination action, request that the court appoint an attorney to represent me in this matter. In support of this request, I state as follows:

- A. my claim is meritorious (that is, I have a good case), and
- B. I have made a reasonably diligent effort to obtain counsel, and
- C. I am unable to find an attorney willing to represent me on terms that I can afford.

2. A copy of the Notice-of-Right-to-Sue-Letter I received from the Equal Opportunity Commission is attached to the complaint which accompanies this request for counsel.

3. A. Does the Notice-of-Right-to-Sue-Letter show that the Commission found "no reasonable cause" to believe the allegations made in your charge were true?

____ Yes ____ No

1 IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES," YOU MUST ATTACH A COPY OF THE
2 COMMISSION'S INVESTIGATIVE FILE TO THIS REQUEST AND ANSWER QUESTIONS B
3 AND C.

4 B. Do you question the correctness of the Commission's "no reasonable cause"
5 determination?

6 _____ Yes _____ No

7 C. If you answered "yes" to question 3B, what are your reasons for questioning the
8 Commission's determination? Be specific and support your objections with fact. Do not simply
9 repeat the allegations made in your complaint: the court will review your complaint in considering this
10 request for counsel.

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28 (Attach additional sheets as needed)

4. Have you talked with any attorney about handling your claim?
_____ Yes _____ No

If "YES," give the following information about each attorney with whom you talked:

Attorney: _____

When: _____

Where: _____

How (by telephone, in person, etc.): _____

Why attorney was not employed to handle your claim: _____

Attorney: _____

When: _____

Where: _____

How (by telephone, in person, etc.): _____

Why attorney was not employed to handle your claim: _____

Attorney: _____

When: _____

Where: _____

How (by telephone, in person, etc.): _____

Why attorney was not employed to handle your claim: _____

(Attach additional sheets as needed)

1 5. Explain any other efforts you have made to contact an attorney to handle your claim:
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6 6. Give any other information which supports your application for the court to appoint an
7 attorney for you:
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12 7. Give the name and address of each attorney who has represented you in the last 10 years
13 for any purpose:
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19 (Attach additional sheets as needed)

20 8. I cannot afford to obtain a private attorney. The details of my financial situation are listed
21 below:

22 A. Employment

23 Are you employed now? ___ yes X no ___ am self-employed

24 Name and address of employer:
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1 If employed, how much do you earn per month? _____
 2 If not employed, give month and year of last employment: Nov 1998
 3 How much did you earn per month in your last employment? \$2000
 4 If married, is your spouse employed? yes no
 5 If "YES," how much does your spouse earn per month? 1
 6 If you are a minor under age 21, what is your parents' or guardians' approximate monthly
 7 income? _____
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9 B. Assets

10 (i) Other Income

11 Have you received within the past 12 months any income from a business, profession or other
 12 form of self-employment, or in the form of rent payments, interest, dividends, retirement of annuity
 13 payments or other sources? yes X no

14 If "YES," give the amount received and identify the sources:

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28 (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

(ii) Cash

Have you any cash on hand or money in savings or checking accounts? X yes ___ no

If "YES," state total amount: \$1.84 + .08 = \$1.92

(iii) Property

Do you own any real estate, stocks, bonds, notes, automobiles, or other valuable property (excluding ordinary household furnishings and clothing)? ___ yes X no

If "YES," give value and describe it:

Value

Description

C. Obligations and Debts(i) Dependents

Your marital state is: ___ single ___ married X widowed, separated or divorced.

Your total number of dependents is: ONE

List those person you actually support, your relationship to them, and your monthly contribution to their support:

Name/Relationship

Monthly Support Payment

SELF

\$1200

(ii) Debts and Monthly Bills

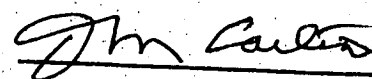
List all creditors, including banks, loan companies and charge accounts, etc.

<u>Creditor</u>	<u>Total Debt</u>	<u>Monthly Payment</u>
Rent: NEW PALACE HOTEL	6 MO LEASE	\$385/mo.
Mortgage		
on Home:		
Others: NUMEROUS CREDITORS AGGREGATE DEBTS		
	IN EXCESS OF \$10,000 USD	

9. Signature

I declare under penalty of perjury that the above is true and correct.

Dated: 6/4/2008



Signature

(Notarization is not required)